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SUBJECT: TERRORIST ATTACK IN ISTANBUL AND INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT

SECURITY: ITDIN## REPORT

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1. MATTER GURC ADHERENCE ICAO STANDARDS, HAGUE AND MONTREAL CONVENTIONS DISCUSSED WITH NKWETTA ZAA, DIRECTOR OF INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS, MINISTRY FOREIGN AFFAIRS. HE NOT AWARE OF PRESENT STATUS GURC CONSIDERATION THESE ACCORDS, AND SUGGESTED EMBASSY SEND DIPLOMATIC NOTE. NOTE SENT AND WILL ADVISE WHEN RESPONSE RECEIVED.

2. FRANK ASSESSMENT SECURITY IN EFFECT INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT IS THAT GENERALLY SPEAKING IT POSSIBLE SCREENED AND UNSCREENED PERSONS MINGLE IN TRANSIT LOUNGES. OF TEN INTERNATIONAL AIRLINES USING INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT AT DOUALA, ONLY PAN AMERICAN USES WALK-THROUGH METAL DETECTING DOOR. METAL DETECTING WAND ALSO USED WHEN PASSENGERS LEAVE TERMINAL. GENERALLY SPEAKING, PASSENGERS OTHER FLIGHTS AND PERSONS SEEING OFF FRIENDS AND RELATIVES ABLE MINGLE WITH PAN AMERICAN PASSENGERS. ALSO, AS GENERAL RULE, VIP'S NOT SCREENED.

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CAMEROON AIRLINES, HOWEVER, IN PAST TWO WEEKS HAS INSTITUTED

PROGRAM SEARCHING HAND LUGGAGE AS PASSENGERS LEAVE TERMINAL
ON DOMESTIC AND INTERNATIONAL FLIGHTS. SWISS AIR HAS
PLANESIDE SEARCH HAND LUGGAGE.

3. QUESTION ADVICE AND TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE AIRPORT SECURITY
PROCEDURES RAISED WITH ACTING SECYGEN PRESIDENCY BELLO
SEPT 10. HE SAID HE WILL DISCUSS MATTER WITH MINISTER
TRANSPORT AND WRITE LETTER IF INTERESTED.
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NOTE BY OC/T: ##AS RECEIVED.

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